

WAIVING A REQUIREMENT OF CLAUSE 6(a) OF RULE XIII WITH RESPECT
TO CONSIDERATION OF CERTAIN RESOLUTIONS REPORTED FROM THE
COMMITTEE ON RULES

DECEMBER 4, 2007.—Referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed

Mr. WELCH, from the Committee on Rules,
submitted the following

R E P O R T

[To accompany H. Res. 839]

The Committee on Rules, having had under consideration House Resolution 839, by a record vote of 8–2, report the same to the House with the recommendation that the resolution be adopted.

SUMMARY OF PROVISIONS OF THE RESOLUTION

The resolution waives clause 6(a) of rule XIII (requiring a two-thirds vote to consider a rule on the same day it is reported from the Rules Committee) against certain resolutions reported from the Rules Committee. The rule applies the waiver to any resolutions reported on the legislative day of Wednesday, December 5, 2007, providing for consideration of the Senate amendments to the bill (H.R. 6) to reduce our Nation's dependency on foreign oil by investing in clean, renewable, and alternative energy resources, promoting new emerging energy technologies, developing greater efficiency, and creating a Strategic Energy Efficiency and Renewables Reserve to invest in alternative energy, and for other purposes.

COMMITTEE VOTES

The results of each record vote on an amendment or motion to report, together with the names of those voting for and against, are printed below:

Rules Committee record vote No. 401

Date: December 4, 2007.

Measure: H. Res. 839. Waiving a requirement of clause 6(a) of rule XIII with respect to consideration of certain resolutions reported from the Committee on Rules.

Motion by: Mr. Hastings (FL).

Summary of motion: To report the rule.

Results: Adopted 8–2.

Vote by Members: Hastings (FL)—Yea; Matsui—Yea; Cardoza—Yea; Welch—Yea; Castor—Yea; Arcuri—Yea; Sutton—Yea; Diaz-Balart—Nay; Hastings (WA)—Nay; Slaughter—Yea.

